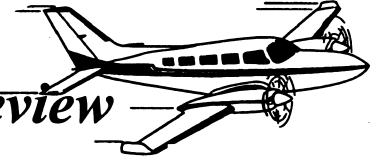




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*Did you ever think that what you teach or
did not teach can cause your student to
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CFI's And Their Students Are Our Last Hope In Reducing Aviation Accidents In The San Diego FSDO District!

The Certified Flight Instructor (CFI) is one of the most important ratings the FAA issues and is considered one of the corner stones of aviation. The flight instructor is, after all, the first contact and makes an everlasting first impression on the student. The CFI will set the framework for all future learning in aviation and safety. It's a given that the CFI is a good pilot. But they must also be able to read the student and understand their needs and limitations, in many ways the CFI is a Psychologist and the really good CFI is very much a "people person". The wealth of knowledge the flight instructor must acquire and be able to organize and teach is over whelming, from FAR's, aerodynamics, navigation, weather, human factors, aircraft systems, lesson plans, and being able to decide when a student is SAFE for SOLO. The CFI is on the front line of aviation safety and the decision making process the student pilot will have the rest of their flying career. Aviation is unique in that the commercial entry level is often the CFI. The fact that it is an entry level adds additional responsibility to the new CFI. The CFI also has the added responsibility to keeping up to date with all the changes in equipment and FAR's...William E.Gamble, Aviation Safety Inspector-Ops. ☺

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Seminar/Activity Schedules

March 2003

Themes for March 2003 are for Certified Flight Instructors (CFI's) primarily. Classes are open to all of our aviation community in the San Diego and Imperial Counties.

(NOTE All workshops are from 6:30 pm to 9:00 pm at the San Diego FAA FSDO unless otherwise stated)

Check-In Time is 5:30 pm to 6:30 pm MAXIMUM SEATS-45

MARCH 5, 2003 FAA FSDO Conf. Room: FAA-CFI Workshop-Day 1.

MARCH 12, 2003 FAA FSDO Conf. Room: FAA-CFI Workshop-Day 2

MARCH 19, 2003 FAA FSDO Conf. Room: FAA-CFI Workshop-Day 3

MARCH 26, 2003 FAA FSDO Conf. Room: FAA-CFI Workshop-Day 4

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